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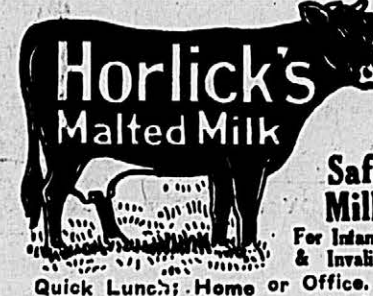
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FOURTH GAME OF SERIES WAS A WALK-OVER

**Arts Had Only Eight Men in
Uniform.**

FINAL SCORE WAS 34-0.

**Medicine Found no Difficulty in
Breaking Through Line and
Scoring.**

The fourth game of the Inter-Fac-
ulty Football series was played yes-
terday afternoon on the McGill Stadi-
um. The strong Medicine team lined
up against the Arts aggregation. Arts
had but eight men out, and one of
them was a mere infant, who caused
a great deal of laughter among the
spectators.

From the blow of the whistle Medi-
cine proceeded to put the game on
ice. In less time than it takes to
write, Pitts was over for a try, which
was converted. Two minutes later
Tuohy went over for another, which
he failed to convert. The first quar-
ter ended with the score standing 11
to 0.

On changing ends Corrigan stole the
ball from Arts, and secured a try,
which was converted by Tuohy. A
few minutes later half-time was called
with the score reading 17-0.

As the game had developed into a
joke, it was decided to continue with-
out a rest, and that the final half be
ten minutes instead of twenty. At
the start of the second half Medicine
worked their way down the field and
secured another try, which was also
converted. The score was 23-0 at
the three-quarter mark.

During the last quarter Medicine
secured eleven points. Fawcett and
Cully both went over for tries, while
Tuohy converted one of them. Time
was called and Medicine were declar-
ed the victors, the final score being
34-0.

The stars for Medicine were Pitts,
Tuohy, Cully and Chantal, while Mc-
Gillis and Davis played well for Arts.

Ross Laing officiated in a capable
manner.

The teams lined up as follows:

Arts	Medicine
Flying Wing.	Medicine.
..... Gilhooley	.....
Browne	 Upham
Cranks	 Tuohy
McGillis	 Morse
..... Quarter.	.....
Hughes	 Fawcett
..... Scrim.	.....
McCaffrey	 Riddell
..... Taylor	.....
..... McCullough	.....
..... Inside Wing.	.....
Smart	 Corrigan
Davis	 Cully
..... Middle Wing.	.....
Cassidy	 Pitts
..... McDonald	.....
..... Outside Wing.	.....
..... Chantal	.....
..... Walters	.....

Y. M. C. A. CABINET.

The first meeting of the Y.M.C.A.
Cabinet was held yesterday evening at
6 o'clock in Room A at Strathcona
Hall. Those present were E. M. Bus-
by, Med. '18, President; Arthur Walsh,
Vice-President; K. P. Tsolainos,
Treasurer; H. Dawson, Rec. Secre-
tary; R. DeWitt Scott, Chairman of
Religious Meetings; F. W. Almond,
Chairman of New Student Work; M.
W. Henderson, Chairman of the So-
cial Committee; Peter Heinbecker,
Chairman of the Social Work; N. J.
Challenger, Chairman of the Member-
ship Committee; R. Brown, Assistant
Treasurer; Donald MacLeod, General
Secretary.

After a delightful supper, the busi-
ness on the table was discussed. It
was decided to carry on the financial
campaign in the College on November
13, 14, 15. The new members on the
Board were then welcomed by K. P.
Tsolainos, as the oldest member on
the Board. President Busby then
spoke a few words to the members of
the Board. Several other items of
business were discussed. The next
meeting it was decided would take
place on Thursday, November 8, at 8
p.m.

A. Walsh, Chairman of the Bible
Study Committee, suggested that the
members of the Cabinet be prepared,
and among the first to sign up for
the Bible Study. This part of the Y.
M. work is really the foundation of
the Association, and those who are
in charge are looking for real sup-
port on the part of the students.

The meeting then came to a close.

LT. HYNDMAN WOUNDED.

Lieut. Douglas Hyndman, R.F.A.
(draft), a son of Dr. E. G. Hyndman,
of Sherbrooke, Que., and formerly a
member of the class of Science '15, is
reported as seriously wounded. At
present he is convalescing in No. 2
Hospital, Rouen, France.

WHAT'S ON.

TO-DAY.
1.00 p.m.—R.V.C. '19 Meeting.
4.00 p.m.—Arts '20 Meeting.
4.15 p.m.—Menorah Society.
5.45 p.m.—Arts '19 Meeting.
8.00 p.m.—Conversations at Strath-
cona Hall.
8.00 p.m.—Water Polo, McGill vs.
M.A.A.A.

COMING.
Oct. 31.—Meeting of Delta Sigma
Society.
Nov. 1.—4 to 6 p.m., Red Cross Ex-
ecutive.
Nov. 1.—Conservatorium Concert,
R.V.C.
Nov. 2.—Devotional Meeting, R.V.C.
Nov. 2.—Alliance Francaise.

CONGREGATIONAL MAN ENLISTED IN R.F.C.

**A. K. McMinn, Arts '20, Writes
of Work Connected with the
R. F. C.**

The following is an extract from a
letter received from Pte. A. K. Mc-
Minn, Arts '20, and a student of the
Congregational Theological College,
who is at present with the R.F.C.
McMinn, together with his roommate,
E. S. Kelly, a partial in Arts, en-
listed early in October in the Royal
Flying Corps.

"E. S. Kelly, my room-mate, had
decided in the spring to enlist in the
fall; that, of course, meant that I
gave it serious consideration, despite
the fact that my health was not good.
By the middle of the summer I had
made up my mind, but was doubtful
about getting it. However, when the
summer work was over we met again
in Montreal, and we were medically
examined and received a grade "A"
certificate. Then, we made inquiries
at the various offices open for enlist-
ment in the different corps, and finally
decided to enlist in the Royal
Flying Corps as mechanics. So we
enlisted on October 6th, and came to
Toronto on Tuesday night, October 16.
Next day we went through our trade
tests, and both of us passed success-
fully. After that we went through
another rigorous medical examination,
and in a short time were sworn in.
We slept in the Givens Street Bar-
racks on Wednesday, and next day
we received our uniforms and were
sent up to Teasdale Camp here, and
put under the canvas. It has rained
nearly every day since we came here.
We have a very busy time here, rain
or shine. There is generally some-
thing to do.

"E. S. Kelly enlisted as a black-
smith, and I as a carpenter. We are
classified as 2nd A.M.'s, i.e., second class
Aviation Mechanics. Our pay is \$1.35
per day. That is the highest we can
get to begin with; when we get post-
ed there are opportunities of promo-
tion.

"E. S. Kelly is just in the middle of
his course in preparation for the min-
istry; and I am in the middle of my
course in Arts and Theology. We both
hope to finish it if spared.

"Now I shall close this time, for it
is hard to do much writing with the
pad in hand and an old "blinking"
lantern burning, and the rain pouring
down outside and some inside.

Believe me, yours sincerely,

A. K. McMINN,
2nd A. M. No. 151023,
Royal Flying Corps, Recruits' Depot,
Leaside, Ont.

GRADUATE RETURNED.

Dr. W. A. S. Browne, Government
District Medical Officer, of Jamaica,
has arrived in Montreal to offer
his services for duty in France. Dr.
Browne graduated from McGill Uni-
versity in 1915, and is one of the only
two East Indian winners of the
Holmes Gold Medal. He has been
granted leave of absence by his Gov-
ernment for the purpose of offering
his services with the Canadian Ex-
peditionary Force.

COLLEGE STARS IN INTER- ESTING MATCH.

Stars from many of the leading col-
leges will face each other at the Har-
vard Stadium on Saturday, November
3, when a game between teams rep-
resenting the army and the navy, coach-
ed respectively by P. D. Houghton,
Harvard's famous football mentor, and
L. H. Leary, also prominent in the
development of successful Harvard
eleven, will be played in aid of the
war camp community fund.

ARTS '19 MEETING.

There will be a meeting
of Arts '19 in the Smok-
ing Room of the Arts
Building to-day, after drill.
This meeting was postpon-
ed on Saturday on ac-
count of insufficient at-
tendance. Turn out, every-
body, and elect your repre-
sentatives to the Annual
Board!

SOCIETY DOES GOOD WORK FOR CONVALESCENTS

**Efforts of McGill Alumnae Much
Appreciated by Sick Soldiers**

TWO LIBRARIES EQUIPPED.

**Existence Amply Justified by In-
terest Taken in Them by
Soldiers.**

In the Drummond Street Military
Convalescent Home, there is one quiet
little room where the returned sol-
diers love to congregate. Magazines
are scattered on its central table and
books of every sort are on its shelves.
In comfortable easy chairs, the men
sit reading or writing, for stationery
is supplied to them there.

The little room is the library and
reading room established some months
ago by the McGill Alumnae Society.
Its existence has been amply just-
ified by the interest taken in it by the
soldiers. The books on its shelves
are still all too few to satisfy the
hourly demands upon it, but grants
from the Alumnae Society's funds, and
contributions of books from friends
are gradually supplying the library
needs of the men in khaki.

"Some wee poems o' Robbie Burns
please ma'am," said a kilted Scot this
morning in irreproachable Scotch.
He turned away disappointed because
the library does not yet boast of
the works of Burns, and he declined
to be consoled with offerings of Sir
Walter Scott. "I'm no wantin' Sir
Walter," he complained, "She is nae
muckle o' a library if ye hae nae wee
verses o' Robbie Burns." His r's
rolled deliciously.

But Walter Scott is a favourite
nevertheless. "Ivanhoe" and "Waver-
ly" are the only two volumes of his
works the library can boast of, but
they are rarely on its shelves.
Thackeray is as yet represented only
by "The Newcomes," another popu-
lar volume. One dog-eared book
there has something pathetic in its
shabbiness. It is "Oliver Twist,"
the gift of a good friend of the lib-
rary. It is doubtful if any book on
the shelves changes hands as much
as does the Dickens' classic, and the
observer naturally wishes that "Pick-
wick," "David Copperfield" and "Bleak
House" were there to share its popu-
larity. There are works of modern
fiction by the score, all eagerly
sought by the sick and wounded men.
Some of them, lads still in their
teens, demand Henty and Alger. Oth-
ers, more sophisticated, ask for the
works of Jack London, Rex Beach,
Marie Corelli, William Locke and oth-
ers.

The library door is never closed in
the Drummond Street Convalescent
Home. The shelves are open, and
when the librarian is not present the
men take the books as they require
them, leaving the signed library card
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ARTS GRADUATE DEAD.

Warren Simister, B.A., son of Mrs.
Marion L. Simister, who is widely
known in educational circles in Mont-
real, and the province generally, died
at his home, 464 Grosvenor avenue,
on Saturday morning, after a short
illness. Mr. Simister contracted fever
while staying in the Laurentians, and
was apparently recovering from the
attack when complications ensued and
caused his death.

Warren Simister was born in Mont-
real 38 years ago. After completing
his public school education, he took
the Arts course at McGill University.
After receiving his degree he resolved
to take up journalism, and joined the
writing staff of The Gazette, with
which he remained for several years,
his special work being dramatic criti-
cism. In 1909 he went to Boston to
be tutor to the young sons of a
wealthy American, in which position
he travelled extensively in Europe.
Recently he resided at his home in
Montreal with his widowed mother,
and devoted himself to magazine
writing, contributing to several pub-
lications. When his last illness seized
him he was engaged on a story.
He possessed a keen critical taste in
objects d'art and pictures, and, him-
self a painter of promise, had on oc-
casion exhibited his work at the Art
Association. During his European
travels he made a unique collection
of facsimiles of famous finger rings.

SCHOOL BOYS ON THE FARM.

The State Council of Defense is
highly gratified with the showing
made by the boys who, last summer,
were placed on farms during vaca-
tion time, the effort being to help
the nation produce an increased crop
of food. Out of 45 lads taken from
the public schools of Chicago, only
three were reported as being unsatis-
factory. Encouraged by this record,
the council is making arrangements
whereby not fewer than 10,000 Illinois
schoolboys will spend their vacations
on farms next summer.

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ALL UP FOR THE "CONVERSAT."

One of the outstanding social events of the college year will take place to-night in Stratheona Hall, under the auspices of the combined Social Committees of the Royal Victoria College and McGill Y.M.C.A., and no stone has been left unturned to make the evening a great success. The students of the R. V. C. will attend, accompanied by Miss Ethel Hurlbutt, who has kindly consented to act as chaperone for the evening.

The primary object of this annual event is to enable the men and women students of McGill to become better acquainted with one another in a social way. The opportunities of such social fellowship are all too rare, and all should take advantage of them when they come. The new students in particular, will appreciate such a gathering, as it will enable them, as nothing else would, to become better known, not only to the students of the Royal Victoria College, but also to the upper class men in the different faculties. Now that "rushes" and "initiations" are over, feuds of that nature should cease, and we should all get together as a solid student body, and determine to develop a strong college spirit which shall make us proud of our University, and our University proud of us.

This end cannot be attained unless we know one another, and we cannot get to know one another unless we avail ourselves of such opportunities as to-night affords of coming together and introducing ourselves. We trust therefore that every student, upper classmen, as well as freshmen, will plan to be present to-night. While the event is planned particularly for the new students, we want the other classes to be represented as well, and thus make the event a real success.

A splendid programme is being prepared by the committees in charge, a feature of which will be the musical selections by the "Science Undergraduate Orchestra" under efficient leadership. Another feature, none the less entertaining, and interesting, will be the lightning cartoon work of "Ed." Tremble, whom the committee have been fortunate in securing for the evening. Other features will be introduced which will make the evening a most pleasant and enjoyable one. Refreshments will be served after the programme, and ample opportunity will be afforded all to meet their fellow students under most happy auspices.

It is meant that this editorial should be accepted as a genuine invitation to all, and the two committees trust that the students will honour them by accepting their hospitality.

SOCIETY DOES GOOD WORK FOR CONVALESCENTS.

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on the librarian's desk. Books are mislaid, of course; that is inevitable.

"But we never consider missing books as really lost," Miss Fayla, the head librarian said. "If we trace such books a little way, we find that some wounded soldier has so enjoyed a book that he has passed it on to a friend, and the friend again hands it on. Such books, though lost to our shelves, are still in circulation."

There is an immense demand for every sort of technical book, and the supply of such books on the shelves is pathetically small. Inquiries are made hourly for books on mechanics, engineering, navigation, architecture, aviation, and astronomy. Convalescent soldiers who are under training in the vocational schools show a great desire to supplement their text books by further reading on technical subjects.

A lance corporal in the artillery came into the library this morning to ask for books on navigation. Having been a seaman before the war, and hoping to take a higher position in his old calling, this young fellow is planning to devote his spare time to reading technical books on the subject that interests him.

The McGill Alumnae's efforts have not been confined to the Drummond Street Home. A library has been established too at the Grey Nunnery, and there the library workers are not only in attendance in the reading-room, but they go about the wards distributing books to the patients confined to their beds.

A pathetic little incident happened there the other day in connection with the library work. One poor fellow who had been brought from England on a hospital ship happened to read a novel on the voyage, and had had no opportunity to finish it. It was a lurid tale of adventure, and curiosity to know how the tale ended caused the wounded man many a fretful hour. He confided his

troubles to one of the library workers, who visited his ward, with the result that every effort was made to secure the book. Montreal book shops were scoured without avail, and it was found necessary to send to New York for the novel. The poor fellow was cheered by the news that his desire was to be satisfied. He did not live to read the book, for on the day that it was received at the library, he died.

A discharged Russian soldier, brought in a torn Russian magazine the other day. "They gave it to me at the Grey Nunnery," he said, "and I was so glad to get something written in Russian that I want to leave it here for some other Russian fellow."

The current magazines spend a month at the Drummond Street Home, then a month at the Grey Nunnery, and they are finally sent to the Engineers' Camp at St. Jans.

The McGill Alumnae Society is planning a further extension of this, its particular form of war work, in the future. A library will be established in the new Convalescent Home, now being built at St. Anne's and other such plans are afoot.

There is anti and anti. Everybody knows what the "anti" in the women's suffrage fight stood for; the anti's are something altogether more interesting. The A.A.G. Journal informs those who do not know that Anti is the London public's pet name for the A. S. G. of the anti-aircraft corps, corresponding to Tommy and Jack. Having a pet name does not mean that you don't occasionally get rude things said to you, and Anti has something to say on that score.

FOUND.

A pair of gold spectacles. Apply Janitor of the Chemistry Building.

FOUND.

A pair of lavender kid gloves. Apply Janitor of the Chemistry Building.

R. V. C. NOTES.

A very interesting meeting of the Delta Sigma Society is expected on Wednesday afternoon at 3.30, when Prof. Dale will lecture on Poetry. After the lecture tea will be served. It is hoped that all will remember the day, and the hour, and make a point of being present.

Red Cross work may now be obtained in the Common Room on Monday and Tuesday from 11 to 1, and Thursday and Friday, from 4 to 6. Every one should come this week and get some work to do. Remember that this is a college society, that must be supported before perhaps any other.

There will be a meeting of R.V.C. '19 to-day at one o'clock, in the Common Room, and everyone is urged to come. Since Miss Hague finds it impossible to accept the position of debater, it will be necessary for the class to elect someone to take her place. So consider the subject carefully and come prepared to make your nomination.

Remember the Devotional meetings under the direction of the Y. W. C. A., which will begin this Friday at 5.10—5.40 p.m. in the Common Room of the R.V.C. Prayers will be offered for home and abroad.

At a meeting of R.V.C. '19 held yesterday, Miss Elizabeth Monk was elected as one of the representatives of her year in the Senior-Junior Debate, which will take place a week from to-morrow.

There will be a meeting of the Menorah Society this afternoon, at 4.15 in Room 3 of the R.V.C. Subject to be discussed: Modern Jewish Education. All R.V.C. students are cordially invited to attend.

OUT-DOOR BASKETBALL.

There will be a basketball practice for the first and fourth years this afternoon at 4.10 sharp. To-morrow there will be three practices—2 p.m.—Open to all.
2.30 p.m.—For Second and Third Years.

3 p.m.—For Years I and IV. Inter-year matches are approaching, so come to the practices, if you wish to make your class team, and gain a point toward the banner.

All the students who have not yet paid in their subscriptions to the Daily are asked to give them at once to the secretaries of their respective years.

The second meeting of the season of the Alliance Française will be held on Friday, November 2, at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel, at 8.15 p.m. M. Maurice Boucher, Professor au Lycee de Lyon, Chevalier de la Legion d'honneur, will deliver a lecture on La Musique Moderne, with musical selections by M. Leo Pol Morin.

LOST.

A small brown purse, containing two dollars and five cents. Finder please leave with the Janitor of the Arts Building, or the Porter of the Royal Victoria College.

The staff of the McGill Conservatorium of Music will give their first concert of the season in the Assembly Hall of the Royal Victoria College on Thursday, November 1st, at 8 p.m.

MED. '19 HELD MEETING.

At a meeting of Med. '19 held yesterday, it was decided to go ahead with the production of the Annual, as in previous years. The following were elected to the combined board of the Annual: M. Frawley, M. Young, R. C. Leggo.

ARTS '20 CLASS MEETING.

A meeting of the class of Arts '20 will be held this afternoon, at 4 o'clock, in the Smoking Room of the Arts Building. A member for the Social Committee of the Arts Undergraduate Society will be elected, and much other important business will be discussed.

All members of the class should make it a point to be present.

NEW YORK, N.Y.—The varsity cross country team of the College of the City of New York defeated the freshmen on Thursday by a score of 29 to 35. This makes two victories to the varsity's credit since it won from the lower class men on Monday by a 22 to 28 score.

In the national junior championships on November 10, to be held at Van Cortlandt Park the college will enter freshmen and varsity teams in six-mile runs. In the I. C. A. A. A. meet on Nov. 24 three-mile freshmen and six-mile varsity teams will be entered.

YALE MAKES TRACK PLANS.

The Yale University Track Association has announced that the University and freshman cross-country teams will compete in several meets this fall. There will probably be a freshman run against Harvard 1921 on November 15th, and both the varsity and freshman teams will be entered in the inter-collegiate meet to be held in New York City on November 24th. This meet was held in New Haven last year. Few freshmen have reported for practice as yet.

McGILL UNIVERSITY CONTINGENT, C. O. T. C.

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As it is very important that men fall in in their proper platoons in order to obtain credit for their attendance, the following men who were not in the platoons to which they were assigned on Saturday, will please note and fall in on Tuesday afternoon as under:

No. 5 Platoon.

Auelair, A. S.
Bain, G. W.
McEwen, K.

No. 7 Platoon.

Freidman, L.
Quinlan, J. T.
Goldberg, L.

No. 8 Platoon.

Adams, M. E.
Teitelbaum, M.

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BATTALION ORDERS, NO. 6.

by
Lieut.-Col. Robert Starke, O.C., McGill University Cont., C.O.T.C.
Montreal, Oct. 29th, 1917.

1.—Parades.

The Battalion will parade as follows during the week ending November 3, 1917:

Tuesday, Oct. 30th. — Students, 4.30 p.m.; Non-students, 8 p.m.

Thursday, Nov. 1st. — Battalion, 8 p.m. Field work on Mount Royal.

Saturday, Nov. 3rd. — Students, 3 p.m.

2.—Appointments and Promotions.

The following appointments are hereby approved and confirmed:

Scouts—To be Corporal of Scouts, Pte. M. W. Henderson. To be Lance Corporal of Scouts—Pte. J. H. Ryan, Pte. W. E. Stroud.

"B" Company—To be Corporals: Pte. I. O. Vincent, Pte. G. K. Parke, Pte. D. S. Blaikie, Pte. W. W. Caven.

3.—Attendance.

The attention of all student members of the Battalion is called to the following rules in reference to attendance, which have already been published:

"The Saturday afternoon parades will count as two parades. To qualify as 'Efficient' and obtain his year's standing, a student must attend forty parades if in his first year of training, or thirty-six parades if in his second or third year of training.

Leave of absence must be obtained for every parade missed. This must be applied for in writing to the Adjutant of the Contingent, at least twenty-four hours before the parade for which leave is desired.

Absence with leave will not count as attendance. Absence without leave, in addition to the loss of attendance, will entail a forfeiture of "discipline marks" as detailed below:

One hundred marks will be allotted for discipline. To qualify as efficient a man must obtain at least sixty marks. Discipline marks will be forfeited as follows:

Absence without leave—8 marks.

Late on parade — 3 marks.

The above regulations are to be strictly enforced.

4.—Detail.

To be Orderly Officer for week ending November 3rd, 1917: Lieut. E. P. Flin toft.

Next for duty: Lieut. W. R. Brown.

To be Battalion Orderly Sergeant for week ending November 3rd.; Sgt. I. J. Tait.

Next for duty: Sgt. E. A. Stewart.

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A YEAR AGO TO-DAY.

Address by Murray G. Brooks, McGill representative in Ceylon.

Students' Council recommends drastic punishment for first and second year students engaging in class encounters.

McGill School of Physical Education re-opened.

Annual sports held at Macdonald College.

Lecture by Dr. Colby in "Europe at War" series at the R.V.C.

Lieut. H. Don. Henry, Arts '14, past editor-in-chief of McGill Daily, visits city on leave.

THE LEGEND OF THE FIRST CAM-U-EL.

(By A. G.)

Across the sands of Syria. Or, possibly, Algeria.

Or some benighted neighbourhood of barrenness and drouth.

There came the Prophet Sam-u-el Upon the Only Cam-u-el.

A bumpy, grumpy quadruped of discontented mouth.

The atmosphere was glutinous;

The Cam-u-el was mutinous;

He dumped the pack from off his back, with horrid grunts and squeals.

He made the desert hideous, With strategy perfidious.

He tied his neck in carucues, he kicked his paddy heels,

Then quoth the gentle Sam-u-el, "You rogue, I ought to lam you well!"

Though zealously I've shielded you from every grief and woe,

It seems, to voice a platitude, You haven't any gratitude,

I'd like to hear what cause you have for doing thus and so!"

To him replied the Cam-u-el, "I beg your pardon, Sam-u-el, I know that I'm a Reprobate, I know that I'm a Freak;

But, oh! this utter loneliness! My too-distinguished Oneliness!

Where there but other Cam-u-els I wouldn't be Unique."

The Prophet beamed beguilingly, "Aha," he answered, smilingly,

"You feel the need of company? I clearly understand.

We'll speedily create for you, The corresponding mate for you—

Ho! presto, change-o, dinglebat!"— he waved a potent hand,

And, lo! from out Vacuity, A second Incongruity,

To wit, a Lady Cam-u-el was born through magic art.

Her structure anatomical, Her form and face were comical;

She was, in short, a Cam-u-el, the other's counterpart.

As Spaniards gaze on Aragon, Upon that Female Paragon,

So gazed the Prophet's Cam-u-el, that primal Desert Ship,

A connoisseur meticulous, He found her that ridiculous,

He grinned from ear to auricle until he split his lip!

Because of his temerity That Cam-u-el's posterity

Must wear divided upper lips through all their solemn lives!

A prodigy astonishing, Reproachfully admonishing,

Those wicked, heartless married men who ridicule their wives!

HOW WOMEN FLATTER MEN, AND HOW MEN TIRE OF IT.

A woman of sense ought to be above flattering any man, said the model.

My Reflection: Oh! Oh! no wonder you didn't get married. Served you right.

My Remark: Surely, Madam, if you mean by flattering telling people boldly to their faces they are this or that, which they are not. But a woman who does not carry a halo of good feeling and desire to make everybody about contented with her wherever she goes—an atmosphere of grace, mercy, and peace, of at least six feet radius, which wraps every human being upon whom she voluntarily bestows her presence, and so flatters him with the comfortable thought that she is rather glad he is alive than otherwise, isn't worth the trouble of talking to, as a woman; she may do well enough to hold discussions with.

I don't think the model exactly liked this. She said, a little spitefully, I thought, that a sensible man might stand a little praise, but he would, of course, soon get sick of it, if he were in the habit of getting much.

Oh, yes, I replied, just as men get sick of tobacco. It is very notorious how apt they are to get tired of that vegetable.

That's so! said the young fellow John. I've got tired of my cigars, and burnt 'em all up.

I am heartily glad to hear it, said the model. I wish they were all disposed of in the same way.

So I, said the young fellow John. Can't you get your friends to unite with you in committing those odious instruments of debauchery to the flames in which you have consumed your own?

I wish I could, said the young fellow John.

It would be a noble sacrifice, said the model; and every American woman would be grateful to you. Let us burn them all in a heap out in the yard.

That ain't my way, said the young fellow John; I burn 'em one 't time; little end in my mouth and big end outside.

—O. W. Holmes: The Professor at the Breakfast-Table.

YALE DISAPPOINTS.

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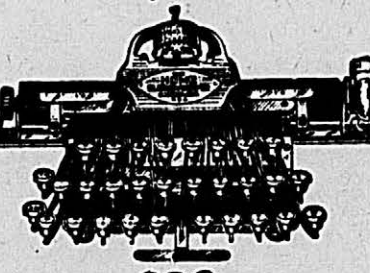
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Another feature is the singing of Miss Evelyn Hartley, a marvellous contralto, accompanied by the incomparable symphony orchestra, conducted by Milton Blankstein. Altogether the show is a delightful one, and is well worth seeing.

Commencing Thursday, and continuing Friday and Saturday, will be shown "Broadway Arizona," with Olive Thomas featuring; this being a story of a cowboy landing in New York, and his doings along the "Great White Way."

THE GAYETY.

The "Hip Hip Hooray Girls" at the Gayety this week, is a burlesque of unusually high standard. The jokes are many, and not of the shallow type. The chorus is the finest seen at the Gayety this season, their singing being the outstanding quality. The house from the start to finish was kept in a roar of laughter, and the show's popularity is evident by the number present.

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Thursday evening will see the public permitted to enter upon aquatic contests. First contest will be a diving contest for boys and men. Thursday evening a diving contest for girls and women, and Friday evening there will be the figure contest. The rewards to the winners will be silver cups, which are at present on exhibition at Mendelssohn's shoe store.

THE ORPHEUM.

A very interesting and varied programme is offered at the Orpheum this week. Some very thrilling gymnastic feats are performed by McClure and Dolly, while "Romair and Ward" keep the audience roaring for 15 minutes during the performance of their new comedy skit. "Love in the Suburbs" comes next, in which comedy a policeman gets in wrong with the lady of the house instead of the servant girl, etc., while the "boas" is made to play the part of a grocery boy. What probably is the most attractive scene in the programme is No. "F". Sisters Helen and Josephine delight the audience with their new songs, and captivate the men with their exquisite looks.

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IMPORT OF OLEOMARGARINE.

The accompanying statement in connection with the Order in Council allowing the manufacture, sale and free import of oleomargarine was carried in part only by the Canadian Press, owing to congestion of war and political news. It is sent to the Daily that we may be able to publish a more detailed statement if we care to do so.

The following statement has been issued by the Food Controller's Office: An Order in Council has been passed upon the recommendation of the Food Controller allowing, on and after November 1st, the manufacture and sale in Canada of oleomargarine and its importation free of duty. Suspension of the prohibition of its manufacture, import or sale is a war measure only, and will apply while the present abnormal conditions continue. The conclusion of such period is to be determined by the Governor-General in Council. Strict provisions are incorporated in the Ordinance to protect the public and the farmers against fraudulent sale of oleomargarine as butter.

The recommendation of the Food Controller was made because the high cost of production and the demand for export were putting the price of butter so high that many people were unable to purchase it. To reduce the price arbitrarily would have been unfair to the producer. The only alternative was to enable those who could not afford to buy butter to secure the necessary animal fats in some wholesome substitute form. The Food Controller states that the dairy interests will not suffer by reason of the sale of oleomargarine in Canada.

"Oleomargarine" is defined in the Ordinance as including oleomargarine, margarine, butterine, or any other substitute for butter which is manufactured wholly or in part from any fat other than from milk and cream, which contains "no foreign coloring matter and which does not contain more than sixteen per cent of water." Persons wishing to manufacture or to import oleomargarine must first obtain a license from the Food Controller, and such license may be cancelled in case of violation of any of the regulations.

Oleomargarine manufactured in Canada must be produced under the supervision of the Minister of Agriculture, and no oleomargarine may be imported into the Dominion unless it has been manufactured under Government supervision in the country of production. No customs duty is to be charged on the importation of oleomargarine complying with the regulations.

The Food Controller is given the power to regulate the price and quality of all oleomargarine sold in Canada.

Every package containing oleomargarine must be clearly marked as such. Hotels, restaurants, and public eating places where oleomargarine is served must display a card with the words "oleomargarine served here" in capital block letters, not less than one and one-half inches long.

No label, mark or brand shall be used until it has been approved by the Food Controller.

The necessity of allowing the sale of oleomargarine in Canada, under present conditions was explained by Hon. W. J. Hanna, Food Controller, in a recent interview. Mr. Hanna said that it was well known that people must have animal fats in sufficient quantity. Butter had advanced in price, and was still advancing until many people were unable to buy it. Moreover, butter seemed likely to go still higher in price because the present price was not commensurate, on a butter fat basis, with the price being paid for whole milk.

"There are only two courses possible," said the Food Controller. "We could have fixed an arbitrary price, but the result would have been to

reduce the production of butter, by diverting milk into other channels. It must be remembered that the price paid to the producer in Canada for milk is determined in very large measure by what the condensing plants are willing to pay for it. The high price offered by the condensing plants, in turn, is due to the price being paid for condensed milk by the Allies' buyers. The cost of producing milk has advanced greatly since the beginning of the war, and the farmer must receive a price which not only will cover his costs, but also give him a reasonable profit.

"The other course was to allow the use of a substitute, and this is the course which we adopted. I may say that I do not expect that our action in allowing the sale of oleomargarine in this country will result in any reduction in the price of butter. The overseas demand is practically unlimited, when compared with Canada's production. Moreover, the price of butter in the United States to-day is at least as high as the price in Canada.

The average retail price of butter in the United States for September was 50 cents per pound. The regulated wholesale price in England was 53.76 cents per pound. At the beginning of the war, Canada was importing at the rate of more than seven million pounds of butter per year, chiefly from New Zealand and the United States. These imports have dwindled to a very small trade, principally at local points from the United States.

"Meanwhile our exports of butter have increased enormously. In the fiscal year ending March 31, 1914, our exports of Canadian butter totalled 1,228,753 pounds. For the fiscal year ending March 31, 1917, they had been increased to 7,990,436 pounds. Since then the increase has continued. While our exports have been increasing prices of butter to the consumer have advanced from about 35 cents per pound to about 50 cents. We are only supplying a very small part of the Allies' requirements. In 1914 Great Britain alone imported 440,230-

848 pounds of butter, and in 1916, despite shipping difficulties and necessarily reduced consumption, no less than 243,646,480 pounds. For years after the war Europe will require all the butter which Canada can produce for export, and the prices are certain to be high. These facts show that the dairy interests of Canada have nothing to fear from the order allowing the sale of oleomargarine. The producer is in no danger of losing his market.

"The regulations, which will govern the manufacture, importation and sale of oleomargarine in Canada, have been carefully prepared, and will afford ample protection against fraudulent practices."

One result of the coldstorage system seems little short of miraculous. It has made clear that, so far as food is concerned, to a considerable degree the shortage is attributable to a surplus. And somehow this paradox brings to mind that quaint old false syllogism of the teacher of logic who, after getting his pupils to admit that one of two propositions must be true, namely, either "It rains" or "It doesn't rain," pointed to a ray of sunshine streaming in the window, as evidence, and declared "You can see, gentlemen, that 'it doesn't rain,' therefore our proposition 'it rains' is true."



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